

emption or exclusion from any provision of the Commodity Exchange Act [7 U.S.C. 1 et seq.] or any regulation of the Commodity Futures Trading Commission.

**(b) Covered swap agreements**

No covered swap agreement shall be void, voidable, or unenforceable, and no party to a covered swap agreement shall be entitled to rescind, or recover any payment made with respect to, a covered swap agreement under any provision of Federal or State law, based solely on the failure of the covered swap agreement to comply with the terms or conditions of an exemption or exclusion from any provision of the Commodity Exchange Act [7 U.S.C. 1 et seq.] or any regulation of the Commodity Futures Trading Commission.

**(c) Preemption**

Sections 27 to 27f of this title shall supersede and preempt the application of any State or local law that prohibits or regulates gaming or the operation of bucket shops (other than anti-fraud provisions of general applicability) in the case of—

- (1) a hybrid instrument that is predominantly a banking product; or
- (2) a covered swap agreement.

(Pub. L. 106-554, §1(a)(5) [title IV, §408], Dec. 21, 2000, 114 Stat. 2763, 2763A-461; Pub. L. 111-203, title VII, §725(g)(1)(C), July 21, 2010, 124 Stat. 1694.)

**AMENDMENT OF SECTION**

*Pub. L. 111-203, title VII, §§725(g)(1)(C), 754, July 21, 2010, 124 Stat. 1694, 1754, provided that, effective on the later of 360 days after July 21, 2010, or, to the extent a provision of subtitle A (§§711-754) of title VII of Pub. L. 111-203 requires a rulemaking, not less than 60 days after publication of the final rule or regulation implementing such provision of subtitle A, this section is amended as follows:*

- (1) *in subsection (c), by striking “in the case” and all that follows through “a hybrid” and inserting “in the case of a hybrid”, by striking “; or” and inserting a period, and by striking paragraph (2); and*
- (2) *by striking subsection (b) and by redesignating subsection (c) as subsection (b).*

**REFERENCES IN TEXT**

The Commodity Exchange Act, referred to in subsecs. (a) and (b), is act Sept. 21, 1922, ch. 369, 42 Stat. 998, as amended, which is classified generally to this chapter. For complete classification of this Act to the Code, see section 1 of this title and Tables.

**CODIFICATION**

Section was enacted as part of the Legal Certainty for Bank Products Act of 2000, and also as part of the Commodity Futures Modernization Act of 2000, and not as part of the Commodity Exchange Act which comprises this chapter.

**EFFECTIVE DATE OF 2010 AMENDMENT**

Amendment by Pub. L. 111-203 effective on the later of 360 days after July 21, 2010, or, to the extent a provision of subtitle A (§§711-754) of title VII of Pub. L. 111-203 requires a rulemaking, not less than 60 days after publication of the final rule or regulation implementing such provision of subtitle A, see section 754 of

Pub. L. 111-203, set out as a note under section 1a of this title.

**CHAPTER 2—COTTON STANDARDS**

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**§ 51. Short title**

This chapter shall be known by the short title of “United States Cotton Standards Act.”

(Mar. 4, 1923, ch. 288, §1, 42 Stat. 1517.)

**EFFECTIVE DATE**

Section 14 of act Mar. 4, 1923, provided: “That this Act [enacting this chapter] shall become effective on and after Aug. 1, 1923.”

**§ 51a. Extension of classification facilities to cotton growers**

The Secretary of Agriculture is requested to extend to cotton growers facilities for the classification of cotton authorized in this chapter, with such supervision of licensed classifiers as he shall deem necessary under authority of the United States Cotton Futures Act.

(Mar. 4, 1933, ch. 284, §1, 47 Stat. 1621.)

**REFERENCES IN TEXT**

The United States Cotton Futures Act, referred to in text, is part A of act Aug. 11, 1916, ch. 313, 39 Stat. 476, as amended, which was repealed by section 4 of act Feb. 10, 1939, ch. 2, 53 Stat. 1. For complete classification of this Act to the Code prior to its repeal, see Tables.

**CODIFICATION**

This section was not enacted as part of the United States Cotton Standards Act which comprises this chapter.